

## COMMITTEE TO PUSH STATIONERY INQUIRY

Senator Kern Calls Session to Probe Use of Senate Writing Paper.

The Senate Committee on Privileges and Elections will shortly proceed to explore the facts relative to the use of Senate stationery to boom the Gold Hill Consolidated Company's alleged \$60,000,000 gold mine at Gold Hill, N. C.

Senator Kern, chairman of the committee which was ordered to make the investigation, returned to the city today and called a meeting of the committee for Saturday morning. At that meeting plans for the investigation will be made. Senator Kern said he thought a subcommittee would be in touch with the work of examining witnesses. Who will be called to testify will not be settled until the committee meets, but it is expected Senators Overman, Chilton, Swanson, and Fournere, who hold stock in the mine, will be called. Walter George Newman, promoter of the mine, who is insisting his property has been unfairly attacked and that the Senate must vindicate it, will be one of the witnesses.

For several days there has been talk that although the Senate adopted a resolution of investigation the inquiry would be quietly smothered. Some members of the Senate are anxious to smother it, but Senator Kern intends to have it made. His attitude is that the Senate ordered his committee to investigate and the committee will do as ordered.

## FEUD OF MOOSERS IS PURELY PERSONAL

Congressman Says Pinchot-Perkins Case Is Result of New Jersey Campaign.

"The Pinchot-Perkins controversy in the Progressive party is a direct outcome of the feud fomented in New Jersey's last gubernatorial campaign," Congressman Kelly, Bull Moose of Pennsylvania, declared today. Then he added that while he could not take sides in the controversy, he believed the desire of Amos Pinchot to oust George W. Perkins from the national committee had no bearing whatever upon the Progressive party in Congress or upon Bull Moose policies in the United States.

Kelly believes the dispute in reality a fight between the conservative and radical factions of the Progressive party—Perkins being the conservative and Pinchot the radical.

"This squabble started in New Jersey when Everett Colby and Edward Osborne, of Jersey City, were candidates for the Progressive nomination for governor. Perkins supported Colby, and went out, Pinchot backed Osborne, and lost. I was through the whole campaign as a speaker. At that time Pinchot charged Perkins with using the power of the Progressive national committee in support of Colby. Now Pinchot is just continuing his fight against Perkins," said Kelly.

## Seed Trade Convention Will Adjourn Today

The thirty-second annual convention of the American Seed Trade Association will conclude its session at the Raleigh Hotel today with the election of officers for the coming year. After the election the members and their families will visit Arlington and the government experimental farms on the Virginia hills nearby.

The delegates and guests attended a banquet at the Raleigh Hotel, given by the association last night. There were more than 200 covers laid. F. W. Boligiano, of Washington, presided, and the association listened with attention to the address of Congressman Mann of Illinois, the speaker of the opening. Other brief talks were made.

### COATS

50 Coats—Suitable for every occasion. Values to \$35. To close, \$7.95 and \$15.

**Leverton's**  
1106 G Street  
THE HOUSE OF FASHION  
STORE HOURS—8:30 to 5:30

### SKIRTS

4,000 Tunic Skirts—Crepé, Ratine, and Bedford. Values to \$8.95. Friday, \$2.95, \$3.95, and \$5.

## Greatest Values We Have Ever Offered

It is utterly impossible to appreciate such great reductions in high-class merchandise without seeing them. Prepare yourself for this great opportunity by shopping early tomorrow.

To close before noon tomorrow. All the season's models—all shades—all sizes.

25 Suits—Sold regularly to \$27.50, to close, \$5.  
40 Dresses—(Small sizes only) Sold regularly to \$10, to close \$1.98.  
50 Dresses—All sizes—in Silks, Chiffons, Voiles, Crepes, etc. Sold regularly to \$25, to close, \$5.

110 Suits—All sizes—all shades—all materials. Sold regularly to \$65. Divided in two lots at this sale—\$10 and \$15.

40 Silk Dresses—All popular shades—sizes up to 42. Sold regularly to \$39.50. To close, \$10.

200 Dresses—Lawn, Lingerie, Batiste, Linen, Crepe, and Ratine. All shades and sizes up to 48. Values to \$20. To close, \$5.95 and \$7.95.

100 Hats—All the season's latest styles and shapes, exquisitely trimmed. Sold regularly to \$18.00. To close, \$1.50.

## Largest and Most Popular Waist Department in the City

More styles to select from than any two stores in this city.

40 dozen Waists—Lingerie, Crepe, and Voiles. All sizes; some slightly mussed. Values to \$2.98. To close, 79c.

60 dozen Waists—Lingerie, Voiles, and Silks. Values to \$3.50. To close, \$1.69.

75 dozen Blouses—Latest styles—full wavy sleeves. Actual values to \$5. Friday, \$2.98.

## KNEE DEEP AND THEN SOME



## WILSON DECIDES TO NOMINATE SIDDON

Said That President Has Also Selected Man for District Commissioner.

That Commissioner Frederick L. Siddons will be nominated by the President to succeed Justice Job Barnard on the bench of the District Supreme Court was today positively stated by those who are ordinarily in the confidence of the Chief Executive and advised as to his purposes.

Furthermore, it was said a successor has already been designated upon for the position of Commissioner. The name of the new Commissioner is a secret, but it is understood the selection was made by President Wilson only after consulting Oliver P. Newman, president of the board.

In making the selection, it is said to have been the purpose of the President to appoint a man who would be in thorough sympathy with the policies inaugurated by the present board, which have been, in the main, the result of consideration on the part of the President himself.

Irrespective of the outcome of the case now being tried in court upon the complaint of citizens that Mr. Newman is not an "actual resident" of the District, Mr. Newman, it is averred, is the complete term and have established a residence that would be beyond challenge.

Nothing would then prevent his reappointment.

## Automobile Men Will Meet on Roof Garden

The roof of the Potomac Electric Power Company's building at Fourteenth and C streets will be the scene of a meeting tonight, when members of the Washington section of the Electric Vehicle Association gather for the June session. Walter Metz, of the Government Printing Office, will read a paper on "Electric Truck Operation." Major Richard Sylvester was to have made an address on the new traffic regulations, but has been called out of town. Several reels of motion pictures will be shown and a buffet supper will be served.

## Masons to Give Degrees.

The fellowcraft degree will be worked at the next meeting of Lebanon Lodge, July 3. The Master Mason degree will be conferred by the ranking past masters of whom Thomas Young is dean at a special communication on July 29.



**Uncle Fred Says**

"What EVERYMAN wants to know on page 3 tomorrow's Times."

## FAILURE TO GET CUT RATES BALKS MILITIA

Lieut. Col. Parmerter Fears There Will Be No Camp at Virginia Beach.

Lieutenant Colonel Parmerter, adjutant general of the District Militia, definitely announced this morning that if a reduced rate is not offered by some one of the various steamship companies within a short time, it will become necessary to abandon the idea of holding the annual encampment of the guard at Virginia Beach this year.

"The appropriation," said Colonel Parmerter, "is inadequate to permit defraying the expenses of the transportation at the regular rates for such a large body of men. We are willing to pay a fair price, to permit the company to make a profit, but we cannot afford to be classed as regular excursionists. We haven't the money."

Members of the guard express themselves as regretting that circumstances may interfere with the Virginia Beach trip, but understand the limitations which are imposed by the lack of funds.

## Convicted of "Joy Riding"

Arthur Nevins, colored, was convicted before Justice Anderson in Criminal Court, No. 1, today, of "joy riding" with an automobile belonging to Col. H. T. Allen, his employer. Judgment was deferred.

## LOCAL MENTION

Bert V. Wolfe, life insurance, Col. Bldg.

Store Closes Daily at 6 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 P. M.

## ALL THE NEWEST STYLES IN LADIES' WHITE FOOTWEAR!

You will not only find the prevailing styles here, but many exclusive novelties.



Ladies' white canvas and white Nu Buck Rubber sole low shoes, \$1.50 to \$4.00  
Ladies' Baby Doll White Canvas Pumps, \$2.50 Pair  
Ladies' White Canvas Colonial Pumps, \$1.50 to \$3.50

## Extra Special

Ladies' Patent Leather and Gun Metal Colonial, Cuban, spool and kidney heels, all the latest toes. All sizes and widths. Cut steel and gun metal ornaments. All new and fresh stock.

**\$2.45**  
Worth up to \$3.50.

## Our Betsy Ross Shoes

Smart Colonial Pumps, in gun metal, patent kid, patent colt, tan Russia calf. All styles of buckles and toes and heels.

## Our Edith Shoes at \$3

Colonial Pumps, in patent leather and gun metal, with cut-steel, gilt or nickel ornaments. All the newest styles, heels and toes.

## FAMILY SHOE STORE SHOES AND HOSIERY

Jos. Strasburger Co. 310-312 Seventh St. N. W.

## MINISTER TELLS OF NICARAGUA'S NEEDS

Senate Committee, in Treaty Probe, Says That Country Requires \$5,000,000.

The pressing need of Nicaragua for \$5,000,000 to avert absolute bankruptcy, was told to the Senate Foreign Relations Committee today by Minister of Finance Eudora, of that country. The minister was asked by Senator William Alden Smith of Michigan, who would it benefit his country, if it had to have \$5,000,000, if this country only paid \$3,000,000, and in so doing took the only thing which Nicaragua could readily sell for a large amount—the option on the Nicaraguan canal route.

In this connection, also, he was asked what he thought of the claims of Costa Rica and Salvador that they would be entitled to a share of any money which might be paid for the Nicaraguan canal route, since they had interests in the San Juan river and in the bay which forms part of the route.

The suggestion of Secretary of State Bryan that these countries might readily be satisfied by the United States making additional payments, was also discussed at length.

## Portrait of Jefferson On New Post Cards

The portrait of Thomas Jefferson, "father of Democracy," is to replace that of William McKinley on post cards, the new Administration of the Postoffice Department announced today. The "Jefferson" cards will be the usual cream color, but printed in green ink.

## Save Friday on Net Corsets

Net Corsets are the coolest kind, and should be worn in hot weather. We offer Net Corsets, low bust and bust and short hip, finished with a set of garter extensions. 50c Main Floor—Bargain Tables.

## New Store Hours

9 a. m. to 5:45 p. m.



However Hot Outside, It Is Always Delightfully Cool In Lansburgh's

Let Nothing Deter You From Taking Advantage Tomorrow of the Savings Listed In

## FRIDAY'S BARGAIN BULLETIN

Save Friday on Night Gowns, 50c Value 75c

Very attractive looking, and very comfortable. Night Gowns offered tomorrow at 50c. Made of fine long cloth, cut long and full, and trimmed with excellent quality lace and broderies; all sizes, and they would be considered a good value at 75c. Buy a supply before going away.

Cosmet Covers, of fine cambric or nainsook, finished with lace edge and ribbon; also Drawers with ruffle and lace edge. 25 values. Special Friday at 18c.

Save Friday on DRAPERIES

Linen, for making loose furniture covers in desirable stripes, all plain effects, usual 15c value. Special 11c Friday, a yd. 11c

Translucent Summer Portiere, in the desired colors of green, brown, and red in effective cross stripes, neatly fringed at bottom; \$1 and \$1.15 values. Choice Friday, a 79c

Table Oilcloth, 5-4 width, in lengths up to 14 yds., worth up to \$2.50 a yd. Remnant lengths, at a 15c

Save Friday on DOMESTICS

Unbleached Sea Island Cotton, 36-in. wide, short lengths for making sheets and for other uses, worth 19c a yd. Friday, a yd. 6c

Bleached Cotton, 36-in. wide, soft finish for making underwear, 12 1/2c yd. value. Special Friday, a yd. 8 1/2c

Domestic Longcloth, 36-in. wide, ideal material for making summer underwear, 12 1/2c value. Special tomorrow, a yd. 9c

Standard Apron Ging-ham, blue only, different size checks. Special, a yd. 6 1/2c

Linen Finish Sheets, size 81 by 96, seam less and hand torn, special tomorrow at 59c

Fabricated Double Bed Sheets, size 81 by 96-in., seamless and hand torn. Special tomorrow, a yd. 50c

Main Floor—Domestics.

Save Friday on TANGO BEADS AT 10c

At this specially low price Friday you can afford to have beads to match any costume.

We offer Tango Bead Necklaces in combinations of amber and red, blue and coral, black and white, blue and jet, and other combinations, finished with silk tassels and some with fancy ornaments; also beads in graduated sizes in plain colors and combinations.

Any Tomorrow at 10c a Strand Main Floor—Jewelry Section.

"Sample" Boxes of STATIONERY At 21c

Values up to 75c.

We have just received a lot of drummers' samples of high-grade Writing Paper, some with gold edges and with the new long narrow envelopes; also Correspondence Cards that sold up to 75c a box, to be offered at 21c a box. Vacationists should buy a box. Main Floor—Bargain Tables.

Save Friday on Lengths of WASH GOODS At 8 1/2c Yd.

Values up to 25c.

Good choosing Friday from this lot of White and Colored Wash Goods lengths at 8 1/2c a yard. Lengths range 2 to 5 yards so sufficient quantity for many uses may be had.

Choose from Voiles, Batistes, Crepes, Check Dresses, Lawns, Ginghams, and Other Fabrics. Special Table—3rd St. Rotunda Wash Goods Section.

Special Sale Friday of WASH DRESSES at \$2.29

That Are Good \$3.50 Value

Only sufficient quantity for a busy day's selling. Wash Dresses of lawns and voiles in colors, and voiles and crepes in all white, all made in a becoming style with low neck, some lace trimmed, and many with tunic skirts.

All sizes in one style or another, but not in any one style. If you see these you will buy two or three we are sure! Second Floor—Garment Section

Save Friday on Laces and Embroideries

White Bands, in white or cream, widths up to 6-in. and worth up to \$1 a yd. Choice Friday, a yd. 15c

Cotton Cluny Laces in ecru and few white, 2-in. wide edgings and insertings included. Values up to 12 1/2c a yd. Choice tomorrow, a yd. 2c

Embroideries, including edgings and insertings, all made in a becoming style, 2 1/2c yd. value. Choice tomorrow, a yd. 10c

Main Floor—Laces and Embroideries.

Save Friday on Leather Belts

All new belts in styles most in vogue—

Black Patent Leather Belts, attached, 1 1/2-in. wide, regularly 50c, special tomorrow 39c

Black Patent Leather Crushed Belts, 6-in. wide, with bow, also a style in combination of colored mesaline and black patent leather, finished with bow; 50c values. Choice 39c

Main Floor—Leather Goods.

Save Friday on Middy Blouses at 75c

That Usualy Sell at \$1

Just the weather for Middy Blouses, and these are just the style and quality you want. Made of middie twill, in white with blue or red collar and cuffs, or blue and tan, all with pockets, many lace front, new round collars.

Sizes range 6 to 20 yards. The low price is possible because we secured a makers' surplus stock, and so the regular price was scaled. Main Floor—Bargain Tables.

## Progressives Ask State Control of B. & M.

BOSTON, June 25.—State ownership of the Boston and Maine stock is provided for in a bill to be introduced before the legislature by Massachusetts Progressives, who have announced that they will oppose the Walsh measure for the separation of the property from the New Haven system.

## New Painless Method for Removing Hairs

(Helps to Beauty)

This new treatment for removing hairs or fuzz is recommended because it acts quickly and is entirely safe and harmless. Mix a stiff paste with a little of the powdered delatone and water, apply to hairy surface, then in 2 or 3 minutes rub off, wash the skin, and it will be left free from hair or blemish. This method is unfailing, but be careful to get genuine delatone or you may be disappointed.—Adv.

## PILLOW TOPS

Of Crash, stamped in assorted designs, 25c value. To be closed out tomorrow at choice.

10c Main Floor—3rd St. Rotunda—Art Goods.